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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated April 10, 2006, for which the time for reply has been extended three months to October 10, 2006 by an accompanying petition, please enter the following amendments in the consideration of the above patent application.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.